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small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

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- for a -month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee of \$0.00.
- petition for an extension of time is NOT necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1135 for the appropriate petition fee.
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  - Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
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Respectfully submitted,

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